

South Dakota

National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS)

The National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS) is an annual survey of facilities providing substance abuse treatment, and is conducted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The N-SSATS is designed to collect data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse facilities (both public and private) throughout the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and other U.S. jurisdictions. For more information on N-SSATS methodology, [click here](#).

In **South Dakota**, 61 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2002 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 2,520 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2002. The survey response rate in **South Dakota** was 99%.

Facility Ownership/Operation						
	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	33	54%	1,427	57%	237	49%
Private for-profit	10	16%	332	13%	61	13%
Local government	3	5%	183	7%	46	10%
State government	3	5%	73	3%	20	4%
Federal government	6	10%	213	9%	12	3%
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	3	5%	158	6%	—	—
Dept. of Defense	1	2%	30	1%	—	—
Indian Health Service	2	3%	25	1%	12	3%
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tribal government	6	10%	292	12%	107	22%
Total	61	100%	2,520	100%	483	100%

Primary Focus of Facility						
	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	35	57%	1,359	54%	301	62%
Mental health services	3	5%	112	4%	20	4%
General health care	2	3%	85	3%	—	—
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	18	30%	944	38%	147	30%
Other/unknown	3	5%	20	1%	15	3%
Total	61	100%	2,520	100%	483	100%

Substance Abuse Problem Treated						
	Facilities ¹		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop. Aged 18 and Over	
	No.	%	No.	%		
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	55	100%	1,360	54%	176	
Clients with drug abuse only	40	73%	261	10%	40	
Clients with alcohol abuse only	47	86%	886	35%	142	
Total²	55		2,507	100%	358	

¹ Facilities may be included in more than one category.

² Excludes 6 facilities that were not asked or did not respond to this question.

Type of Care

			Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002				
			All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
			Facilities ¹		Median No. of Clients Per Facility		
No.	%	No.	%	No.		%	
Outpatient	53	87%	1,861	74%	20	330	68%
Regular outpatient	50	82%	871	35%	11		
Intensive outpatient	41	67%	873	35%	10		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	17	28%	87	4%	3		
Detoxification	3	5%	30	1%	5		
Methadone/LAAM maintenance	—	—	—	—	—		
Residential	27	44%	607	24%	12	133	28%
Rehabilitation	27	44%	443	18%	12		
Detoxification	7	12%	164	7%	15		
Hospital Inpatient	4	7%	52	2%	11	20	4%
Rehabilitation	2	3%	49	2%	25		
Detoxification	2	3%	3	<1%	2		
Total	61		2,520	100%	27	483	100%

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	—	—
Detoxification only	—	—
Both maintenance and detoxification	—	—
Total	—	—
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	—	
Methadone	—	
LAAM	—	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	53	87%
Private health insurance	48	79%
Medicare	14	23%
Medicaid	25	41%
Other State-financed health insurance	24	39%
Federal military insurance	21	34%
Other type of payment	8	13%
Sliding fee scale	29	48%
Other payment assistance	29	48%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities ¹	26	4
No. of clients	607	52
Designated beds	608	54
Utilization rate	100%	96%
Designated beds per facility (average)	23	14

¹ Excludes facilities not reporting both clients counts and number of beds, facilities whose client counts were reported by another facility, and facilities that included client counts from other facilities.

Facility Licensing, Approval, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	54	89%
State Substance Abuse Agency	51	84%
State Mental Health Department	13	21%
State Public Health Department/Board of Health	25	41%
Hospital licensing authority	2	3%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	12	20%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	—	—
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	—	—
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	—	—
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	9	15%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Is part of organization with multiple facilities or sites	28	46%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	24	39%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	50	82%

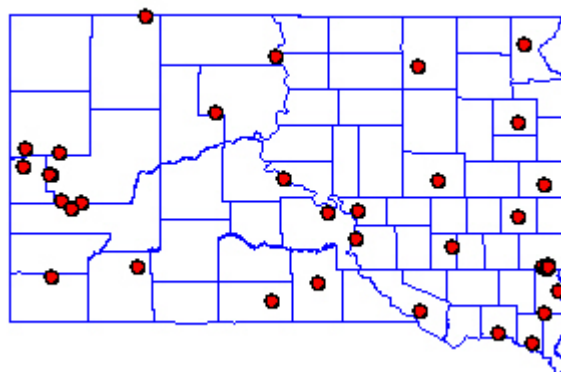
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Dually-diagnosed	19	31%
Adolescents	37	61%
Persons with HIV/AIDS	5	8%
Gays and lesbians	8	13%
Pregnant/postpartum women	12	20%
Women only	18	30%
Men only	11	18%
Seniors/older adults	10	16%
Criminal justice clients	25	41%
DUI/DWI offenders	28	46%
Other groups	8	13%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Assessment Services	59	97%
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	58	95%
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	21	34%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	61	100%
Family counseling	51	84%
Group therapy	55	90%
Individual therapy	59	97%
Relapse prevention groups	45	74%
Aftercare counseling	49	80%
Pharmacotherapies	10	16%
Antabuse	10	16%
Naltrexone	4	7%
Testing	50	82%
Blood alcohol testing	24	39%
Drug/alcohol urine screening	49	80%
Hepatitis testing	16	26%
HIV testing	18	30%
STD testing	15	25%
TB screening	28	46%
Transitional Services	57	93%
Assistance with obtaining social services	31	51%
Discharge planning	53	87%
Employment counseling/training	20	33%
Housing assistance	13	21%
Referral to other transitional services	50	82%
Other Services	52	85%
Case management services	43	71%
Child care	2	3%
Domestic violence or family/partner violence services	14	23%
HIV/AIDS education/counseling/support	27	44%
Outcome follow-up (post-discharge)	30	49%
Transportation assistance to treatment	24	39%
Acupuncture	—	—

Location of Treatment Facilities



Use SAMHSA's Treatment Facility Locator to find the address and characteristics of specific facilities:

<http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov>

Services for the Hearing Impaired or in Languages Other than English

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Hearing impaired	18	30%
Spanish	15	25%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	16	26%
Other	3	5%

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Access the latest N-SSATS public use files at:

<http://webapp.icpsr.umich.edu/cocoon/SAMHDA-SERIES/00058.xml>

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